



MEDIA RELEASE

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Fond du Lac County Health Care Center – Patient Flees the Facility

On Tuesday August 11, 2015 at 9:38am, officers from the Fond du Lac Police Department responded to the area of the Fond du Lac County Health Care Center located at 459 E. 1st St. in the City of Fond du Lac following a complaint that a 17 year old male patient had thrown a chair through a set of glass doors and had fled the facility.

Officers located the subject in the open area outside of Roberts School at 270 Candy Lane and he was quickly taken into custody without further incident. The subject was unarmed and was not posing a threat to others. No one was injured as a result of this incident.

The Fond du Lac Police Department would like to thank the staff at Roberts School for their quick response in following safety protocols and initiating a lockdown in order to keep students safe.

During the investigation of this incident, the Police Department has become aware of outside information being exchanged stating this incident involved an armed gunman inside of the school. These rumors are false as there were no weapons involved in this incident and none of this activity took place within the school.